



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Cook, et al.

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Group Art Unit: 2163

Examiner: Irshadullah, M.

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RESPONSE

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The applicants have received and reviewed the Official Action mailed on 19 August 2003. As noted in the Interview Summary attached to that Action, the Official Action mailed on 25 July 2003 did not include action on certain claims pending in the application. Please enter and consider the following response to the Official Action mailed on 19 August.

A request for a one-month extension of time period for response is enclosed herewith.

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being sent via first class United States mail postage prepaid on the date shown below to Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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